

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 272

By Pody

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Ethan Kearney, 2013
Valedictorian of Friendship Christian School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Ethan Kearney is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2013 graduating class at Friendship Christian School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ethan has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Mr. Kearney has earned an exemplary grade point average and served as the captain of the tennis team; and

WHEREAS, Ethan's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success at Vanderbilt University; and

WHEREAS, Ethan's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Katie Kearney and Mike Kearney, his two sisters, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Kearney's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2013 Friendship Christian School Valedictorian, Ethan Kearney, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.